# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# RAILWAYS
# LOK SABHA

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FUNCTIONING OF TRAINING INSTITUTE
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**Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:**

(a) whether there is a training institute in Eastern Railway which has its own building instructors and several laboratories for imparting training to Trade Apprentices and First Class Special Apprentices;

(b) whether the said institute has been praised by a team from Japan; and

(c) if so, the reasons for making this institute disfunctional during the last few days?

## Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI O. RAJAGOPAL)

(a) Yes sir, there is an Indian Railways Institute of Mechanical & Electrical Engineering at Jamalpur in Eastern Railway for imparting training to Special Class RailwayApprentices, serving and probationary officers and supervisors of mechanical department of Indian Railways. Trade Apprentices are not trained at this institute. The training institute has adequate infrastructure and other facilities.

(b) A team from Japan had visited the institute in 1987.

(c) The institute has not been made dysfunctional.